TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 2212 - SB 2632

March 28, 2022

SUMMARY OF BILL AS AMENDED (016621): Authorizes a judge to issue a criminal summons, as opposed to an arrest warrant, for a technical violation of probation or a suspended sentence.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL AS AMENDED:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-6-215(b), a criminal summons is required to be in substantially the same form as an arrest warrant except that it summons the defendant to appear before the magistrate or court at a stated time and place.
- Passage of the proposed legislation will not significantly impact the number of cases in the court system for state or local government to experience any significant impact on revenue or expenditures.
- Any impact to the court system as a result of the proposed legislation is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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